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Applicant: Thomas J. Brennan Examiner: Wilson, Michael C.  
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Dear Sir:

Under 37 C.F.R. §1.114, it is respectfully requested that this application be accorded the benefits of Continued Examination.


Our check in the amount of \$395.00 is enclosed to cover the required fee for a small entity.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Date

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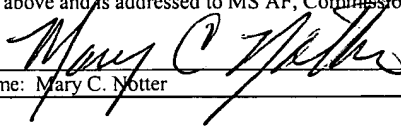
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**SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT**

MSRCE  
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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed June 23, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.